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Sent: Thur 3/27/2014 2:53:05 PM

Subject: Fw: Update from Cisco - BP Whiting

Just as an fyi...I'm fwding email below on press outreach

Also mike has a congressional conf call briefing set up throiugh ronna at 2, uscg will also attend that.

From: Rowan, Anne

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 9:24:38 AM

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Cc: Karl, Richard; Mcseveney, Megan; Arcaute, Francisco; Cannon, Phillippa; Beckmann, Ronna Erin

Subject: Update from Cisco - BP Whiting

Francisco is at the JIC / on-scene and attended this morning's briefing (fyi: blackberry service there is spotty).

USCG hopes that EPA will be able to sign off on a joint media update. They're working on a draft that USCG wants to release no later than noon today (Central).

I've advised Cisco that if EPA and USCB both agree to the language, we can do a joint media release. So I'll share a draft with you as soon as I see it.

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